

PUBLIC LEDGER

SIXTH YEAR.

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ONE CENT.



LARGEST IN THE CITY.

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can toss over his counter free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

Why DO THEY?

Why do so many people trade at our house? Why do they come from far away as well as near at home? Why do they return regularly, season after season? Is it sentiment or accident? No, neither. It is because they *Save Money* by trading with us.

The dominant feature of our house is that no garment goes out but that we are convinced will prove satisfactory to the wearer.

We only buy the nicest goods the market affords. They are selected by experienced buyers to suit the wants of our patrons and sold at the very lowest prices good goods can be sold for. Read the prices for our

HOLIDAY OFFERINGS:

A line of Men's All-wool Cheviot Suits at \$7.60.

A line of Men's All-wool Black and Blue Ribbed Cheviot Suits at \$9.40.

A line of heavyweight Clay Frock and Sack Suits at \$8.90.

A line of All-wool Kersey Overcoats at \$7.75.

A line of Men's All-wool Imported Kersey Overcoats at \$12.50.

In this line of Suits we carry the most complete and comprehensive assortment in the state.

FOR THE LITTLE ONES

from 4 to 15 years old we have recently closed out about 400 D. B. Sack and Reefer Suits that we will sell at \$2.75.

They are strictly All-wool Imported Cheviots, and come in beautiful brown shades, some checked, some plaids and some in black and blue colors. For

CHRISTMAS GIFTS,

such as fine Gloves, Hats, Neckwear and fine Silk Umbrellas, we are headquarters. See our line of Silk Vests and Smoking Jackets.

HECHINGER & CO

LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 33, and send it in.

Use Sweet Blossom Corn.

Gold Pens at McCarthy's.

Buy Headlight Oil from C. Wetzel.

We have some pretty Perfumery Atomizers and Salt Bottles. Ask to see them. Chenoweth's Drugstore.

If you want your share of the fall and early winter trade, an advertisement in THE LEDGER will be your best solicitor. Try it and see.

You must see Murphy, the Jeweler's stock of Gold Watches to appreciate the low prices he is offering them. The largest stock and lowest prices in the city.

Just received, a barge of the celebrated Raymond Coal, which will be sold at cash price less than people expect to pay on present market.

JOSEPH H. DODSON.

One thing that attracts many people to Cincinnati to buy goods is the bargains that Cincinnati merchants advertise in the Cincinnati papers. Maybe Maysville merchants might keep some of this trade in Maysville if they would advertise bargains in the Maysville papers. Suppose you try THE LEDGER.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—FAIR;
Blue—RAIN or SNOW;
With Black ABOVE—Twill WARMER
GROW.
If Black's BENEATH—COLDER'll
be!
Unless Black's shown—no change
we'll see.
The above forecasts are made for a
period of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock
to-morrow evening.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. William Hunter of Murphysville was in Maysville yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas M. Green of Danville is the guest of Mrs. J. F. Barbour.

Dr. William Bowman and daughter Miss Stella of Tollesboro were in the city yesterday.

Miss Lucy Gaines, after a visit to relatives in the county, left yesterday for her home in Florida.

Miss Lida Politt of Third street has returned from a pleasant visit to the family of Rev. J. D. Redd at Sardis.

Mrs. K. Larkin is very ill at her home at Washington.

Mrs. Elizabeth Purnell of Dalesburg gets a widow's pension of \$12 a month.

James Story of Fairview and Miss Sallie Bohne of Carlisle married at Flemingsburg.

Mrs. Margaret E. Cassidy of Carlisle has been granted a pension of \$3 a month.

Handkerchief Days at Hoeft's. Thursday and Friday. Largest Stock. Lowest Prices. Umbrella Day Saturday.

Open Evenings

Until Xmas!

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YE MERRY CHRISTMAS GOODS!

DOLLS! DOLLS! A beauty show—Dressed Dolls and Dolls to dress. All sizes and styles. No description can do them justice. Golden-haired Dolls, 15 inches tall, 6c each; 20 inches tall, 10c each; 27 inches tall, 19c each. Kid body, blouse head Dolls, with shoes and stockings, 19c and up. Dolls representing all Nations are here, from Japan and Africa and South Sea Islands, besides Clown Dolls in four different sizes and many, many others. Come and bring the little ones to see our Famous Doll Family.

Artistic Pottery and Richly Decorated China.

Large Vases, new shapes, 25c. to \$1.50.
Bisque Figures, 15c. and up.
Big fine Dresden Clocks.
Sterling Silver Pocket Knives, 25c.
Silver Jewel Boxes and Pin Trays, 30c., 10c., 15c., 25c.
Bohemian Glass Vaporizers, 40c. and 75c.

Handkerchiefs and Mufflers.

200 dozen fancy-border and embroidered Handkerchiefs, 5c.
Children's Handkerchiefs at 1c.
Special—Two lines at 10c. and 12½c. each. See window display; great values.
Our line of Silk and Linen Initial Handkerchiefs is great at 15c., 25c., 50c.
Cashmere Mufflers, 19c., 25c., 35c., 50c.
Silk Mufflers, 49c., 65c., 75c. and up.

Gloves and Hosiery.

Special Kid Gloves, worth \$1, at 75c. pair; in black and all colors.
Our guaranteed Gloves, worth \$1.50, at \$1.00.
Kaysen Patent Finger Tipped Gloves, 25c., 50c.
Children's Cashmere Mittens, 7c.
Ladies' Cashmere Mittens, 9c.
We are showing a great line of Hosiery at 8½c., 10c., 12½c., 25c., all seamless.

Jackets and Capes.

We still have a complete line of Jackets and Capes, and until December 25th we will allow a special discount of 25 percent, or one fourth off, on all garments from \$10 upwards.

SPECIAL—10 full Fur Capes, in wool, seal astrachan and electric seal. Former price \$12.50 to \$25; choice of any, \$7.95.

We invite you to inspect our grand stock. All suitable for useful and artistic Christmas presents. You will positively save time and money by doing your Christmas shopping at the Bee Hive.

ROSENAU BROS.

KINGS OF LOW PRICES. PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE.

For a good Loaf of Rye Bread Traxel's can't be beat.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Downing of the county, a son.

Call and see the Holiday Goods at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drugstore.

Anchor Patent Flour for \$5 a barrel cash. M. C. Russell & Son.

It is a pleasure to show our Christmas Goods now open—at Chenoweth's.

Mr. Andrew Mearns of Tollesboro has opened a broom factory in this city.

Don't fail to place your "ad" in THE LEDGER if you want the most for your money.

Mr. W. S. Judy and Miss Leila Current, both of Millersburg, were married at the Gibson House, Cincinnati.

Buy a Watch from McCarthy and be satisfied, both in price and quality.

Have your Vinagrettes filled with fragrant Salts at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Special bargains in trimmed and untrimmed Millinery at Mrs. L. V. Davis's.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c. 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

In town. Who? Why. Santa Claus. Where at? Why, at Jos. T. Brown's Grocery 119 East Third street with Toys for all of the children at prices to suit the people.

Diamonds that for "fine" cuttings, "finish" and "quality" have never been equaled; Diamonds that will astonish you on account of the low prices. Murphy, the Jeweler, is offering them.

A variety of Manicure Files, Buffers, Scissors, &c., at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

The merchants of Flemingsburg know they are alive. For the 23d they have chartered the train on the C. F. and A. Railway, and everybody can ride into Flemingsburg free to make their Christmas purchases from the live Flemingsburg merchants. Maysville merchants prefer excursions that carry Maysville money to Cincinnati.

No-To-Bac For Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c., \$1. All druggists.

Pure Home-made Candies at Traxel's.

Christmas night at Opera-house, 25 and 35 cents.

Go before the rush to Schatzmann's for the newest selection in Holiday gifts.

Mercer county officials offer \$8,000 a mile for the state's interest in turnpike property.

See last notice to delinquent city taxpayers. Pay today and save your property from sale.

The Mason County Gun Club will have a live pigeon shoot at the Fairgrounds Christmas week.

Harry Taylor's broken shoulder is mending nicely and he hopes to be out to enjoy Christmas.

Langdon's Mixed Candy 5c. a pound; Langdon's Cream Mixture 7½c. a pound; all other Candies just as cheap.

Mr. Henry Thompson, who some weeks ago was stricken with paralysis at his home near Mayslick, is slowly improving.

During the pressure of Holiday advertising THE LEDGER cannot undertake to print all the long articles that its good friends furnish.

Hon. A. P. Gooding of Mayslick is attending the semi-annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of State College, Lexington, this week.

Don't spend all your money, but save 25 or 35 cents for the most delightful entertainment of the year. You'll be sorry if you miss it.

Those who have taken space in THE LEDGER's all-the-week Christmas page are kindly requested to hand in their copy at the earliest moment.

Tramps set fire to a C. and O. boxcar yesterday in South Portsmouth and it was totally destroyed. Other cars and the depot were saved with much difficulty.

Conductor Julius Herrick is now running on the Maysville and Lexington Division of the L. and N. in place of Conductor W. H. Kirby, who is visiting his father in Memphis.

The Regent desires a full meeting of Valentine Peers Chapter on Saturday afternoon, December 18th, at 8 o'clock. Business of interest and importance. Charter to be presented. Please bring all American monthlies with you.

In the United States Court at Covington the Second National Bank of Ravenna, O., filed suit against A. D. Howell, Geo. Evans and other residents of Estill and Lee counties for the foreclosure of a mortgage of \$8,700 on 1,600 acres of land.

Charles Warner and Bob Green, both colored, were brought up from Dover last night by Constable Dawson. They are charged with stealing a lot of harness. Squire Miller will hear their cases today. Warner broke into the Pen a few years ago, and evidently wants to get back.

Did you ever hear an American Mockingbird? Sitting high in a tree singing, it fairly rains down its music, so that if it would freeze the branches would glisten with jewels. Now, you wait for the best chance to hear something fine. Save your money for Xmas night. 25 and 35 cents, at Opera-house.

John Jones, alias What-you-Please, as he wouldn't tell the officers, was arrested last night about 8:30 o'clock for a brutal assault and battery on Mrs. William Dooley. Letters found on him were addressed to Ben Leonard, Cincinnati. The fellow is evidently a peach. Squire Howe committed him for a hearing today.

Among the many novelties of Holiday decoration none are more striking than the figure in H. W. Rasp's show window. It is a grizzled Santa Claus, made up wholly from articles pertaining to Mr. Rasp's trade, and their ingenious arrangement is the work of Mr. Robert W. Rasp. Stop and hear the old fellow toot his tin horn.

When THE LEDGER got its information the count had not been completed. There were 158 Cincinnati excursion tickets sold here yesterday; and a four-horse wagon couldn't have hauled the bundles that came up in the evening, to say nothing of those that will follow by mail, steamboat, railway and express. Let the good work go on!

Council of Redmen.



All Indians are requested to assemble in council this sleep at the seventh run. J. HARRY RICHARDSON, Sachem. W. C. Felham, C. of R.

The Sun Life Pays Promptly. Sun Life Insurance Company: We desire to thank you and your Superintendent, Mr. Madison, for prompt payment of claim on the life of our brother, Robert L. Chlan. Such kind business methods always deserve praise. The amount, \$500, was paid in full. Very truly, RACHEL CHLIN AND SISTERS.

The Unanimous Opinion

of those who saw our window display last week was that it was the richest and most beautiful thing of the kind ever seen in the city. This week we expect to show you an improvement even on that, and kindly invite you to come and see for yourself. It may chance to contain some article that will make some one happy, should you wish to give it as a Christmas present. Our window is but an introduction—a vestibule, as it were—to our store, which is filled with fresh, new goods, all that is beautiful and tasteful in Jewelry, Diamonds, Watches, Silverware, Cut Glass, Bric-a-brac; in fact, an almost endless variety of useful and beautiful things suitable for gifts to young and old. Come in and let us show you that this is no fairy tale.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

PLEASE TACKLE THIS.

Here's a Hottentot Horror For Colonel George Strawder to Wrestle.

Among the Hottentots (Hottentoten) the kangaroos (Beutelratte) are found in great numbers. Many of them wander over the country, free and unmolested; others less fortunate are taken by hunters and put into cages (Kotter) provided with covers (Lattengitter) to keep out the rain. These cages are called in Dutch Lattengitterwetterkotter, and the kangaroo, after his imprisonment, takes the name of Lattengitterwetterkotterbeutelratte. One day an assassin (Attentater) was arrested who had killed a Hottentot woman, Hottentotenmutter, the mother of two stupid and stuttering children in Strattertrottel. This woman, in the Dutch language, is entitled Hottentotenstrottertrottelmutter, and the assassin takes the name Hottentotenstrottertrottelmutterattentater. The murderer was confined in a kangaroo's cage—Beutelratte-lattengitterwetterkotter—whence a few days later he escaped; but fortunately he was recaptured by a Hottentot, who presented himself at the Mayor's office with beaming face.

"I have captured the Beutelratte," said he.

"Which one?" replied the Mayor, "we have several."

"The Attentaterlattengitterwetterkotterbeutelratte."

"Which Attentater are you talking about?"

"About the Hottentotenstrottertrottelmutterattentater."

"Then why don't you say at once Hottentotenstrottertrottelmutterattentaterlattengitterwetterkotterbeutelratte?"

The Hottentot fled in dismay.



WILLIAM DAVIS WILL SELL YOU SEMI-CANNEL AND KANAWHA COAL AT THE SAME PRICE OTHER PEOPLE ASK FOR POMEROY COAL. TRIAL SOLICITED. Docks East of Limestone Bridge.

Ole Olson, like some others who have been billed for an appearance here, "flow de coop." The Opera-house Managers yesterday received word that he would not be here Friday evening.

Miss Rebecca Ball, daughter of Mr. Joseph Ball of Blueick Springs, and who has relatives in this county, and Mr. J. C. Freeman of Pocahontas, Va., were married yesterday at Carlisle.

Mr. Arthur Henderson of Dayton, O., and Miss Catherine R. Belle Henderson of Mason county were married yesterday afternoon at the County Clerk's office by His Honor Judge M. C. Hutchins.

Harry Choate, the well known billiard champion and allround clever gentleman, is spoken of for Superintendent of the big City Hall at Cincinnati. THE LEDGER hopes Harry will land the whole plum tree.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

The Amateur Debating Club has elected the following officers: President—M. B. Easton. Vice-President—M. C. Daily. Secretary—B. B. Politt. Treasurer—R. L. Simons. Chaplain—James Dawson. Sergeant-at-Arms—John Dentley.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75 cents.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

MISSSES' and CHILDREN'S

Chocolate

HIGH SHOES.

J. HENRY PECOR.

25^{C.} HAND-KERCHIEFS 12^{C.}

Friday's Cash Sale.

Handkerchiefs are such a popular Christmas gift, we know a tempting offering of them now will be most welcome. We have secured a sample line of 100 dozen, entirely up to our standard, but no maker sets much value on samples after they have served their purpose. He cannot sell them in the usual way because there are too few of any one sort. This line represents a great variety, every individual preference seems to have been considered for hemstitching, embroidery and lace. They'll go by sixes and twelves—so hurry. 25c. Handkerchiefs for 12c. are not an every-day chance. "Things seen are mightier than things heard." So convince yourself of the rightness of our statement.

D. HUNT & SON.